

Madagascar, Mauritius, Bourbon, Rodriguez, the Seychelles, India, Ceylon, Andaman Islands, Solomon and Friendly Islands, New Caledonia, the Marquesas, Gilberts, Marshall, and Pelew Islands.

The immature specimen of *P. candidus*, obtained at Botany is silky-white with the upper parts beautifully marked with black crescentic and arrow-headed cross-bars similar to immature examples of *P. rubricauda*. Total length in the flesh exclusive of the two central tail-feathers which are imperfect, 14·5 inches, wing 10·1, tail-feathers next the central pair 4·4, bill 1·8, tarsus 0·7; bill and legs ash-flesh colour, feet black.

An adult mounted specimen received from America is silky-white, with a crescent in front and a line behind the eye, a stripe along the wing-coverts terminating on the innermost secondaries and scapulars, and a band on the first four primaries and some of the elongated flank-feathers, black; shafts of the wing and tail-feathers, except at the tips, black. Total length 22 inches, wing 10·5, central tail-feathers 11, bill 1·8, tarsus 0·72; bill and legs pale yellow, feet black.

Dr. J. C. Cox informs me that immediately after the same storm in February 1898, in company with Major Ferguson, he observed a specimen of *Pelagodroma marina* between Cockatoo Island and Iron Cove, skipping over the surface of the water and following in the wake of their boat. Living examples of this species are extremely rare in New South Wales waters, and are only seen after unusually severe easterly or southerly gales.

#### ADDENDA TO CATALOGUE OF AUSTRALIAN METEORITES.\*

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BINGARA.—Prof. Liversidge wishes it to be stated that he is not in possession of any portion of the Bingara Meteorite.

YARDEA.—The following additional information has been received from Dr. E. C. Stirling:—

*Type*.—Siderite.

*Weight*.—7 lbs. 3½ ozs.

*Locality*.—Four miles S. of Yardea Station, Gawler Ranges, South Australia.

*Finder and Date*.—Found in 1875.

*Coll.*—The Museum, Public Library, Museum and Art Gallery of S.A., Adelaide.

\* Rec. Aust. Mus. III., 3, p. 55 - 60.